



Profile:

District Youth, **Ages 15-21**, in Out-of-Home Care

Total District out-of-home care population (all ages): 2,193

Source: CFSA FACES CMT252MM § Jan. 15, 2008

Demographics

Source: CFSA FACES PLC156MM § Jan. 15, 2008

49% ages 15-21 (1,072 youth)

52% male (557) **48%** female (515)

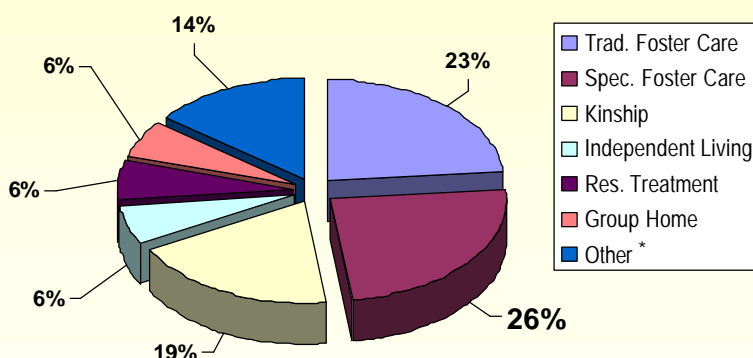
96% African-American (1,029)



Placement

Source: CFSA FACES CMT232MM § Jan. 15, 2008

67% in family-based settings (720 youth)

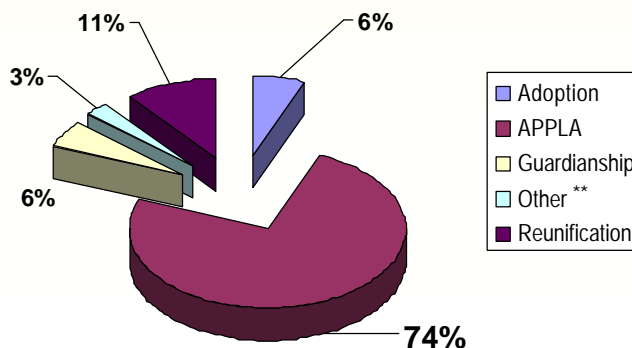


* Abscondence, college/vocational training, correctional facility, hospital, respite care, substance abuse treatment

Permanency Goal

Source: CFSA FACES PLC155MM § Jan. 15, 2008

74% have a goal of Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement (803 youth)



** No goal, family stabilization, legal custody

Life Choices

Source: CFSA FACES PLC243AS § Jan. 15, 2008



10% pregnant (females) or parenting (females and males) (111)

Education

Source: CFSA CKL 08 12th Grade Report/CFSA CKL 08 College Report § Jan. 15, 2008

62% of seniors graduated from high school in June 2007 (73 of 118 youth)

58 youth attending college

31 youth aged out while in college but still receive Education and Training Vouchers

25 youth enrolled in vocational training



Employment

Source: CFSA OYD FY08 Aging Out Report/CKL 08 Vocational Report § Jan. 15, 2008

41% of youth scheduled to age out in FY08 now working (60 of 145 youth)

26% registered for District Summer Youth Employment Program (275)



Adulthood

Source: OYD FY08 Aging Out Report § Jan. 15, 2008

140 youth age out of foster care annually, on average

The District is one of the few jurisdictions in the nation that allows young people to remain in foster care up to age 21.

